



## Views of children and young people about **The looked after children review meeting**



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We would like to know about your experience of the review meeting. Please could you take a few minutes to give your feedback about the meeting; your comments are important for the improvement of services.

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### **Support before the looked after children review meeting**

1. Did the social worker explain **WHY** you had the review meeting?  
Yes  No
2. Did the social worker or Independent Reviewing Officer (IRO) explain **HOW** the review meeting would go and how you could be involved in decisions?  
Yes  No
3. Did the social worker discuss your care plan with you before the meeting?  
Yes  No
4. Did you meet the chair before the meeting?  
Yes  No
5. If you did meet the chair before the meeting, was it helpful?  
Yes  No
6. Did you feel your views were considered when making your care plan?  
Yes  No

## Support at the review meeting

7. Did the social worker or IRO explain the rules around confidentiality and the need to share information with other professionals?

Yes  No

8. Did you feel your views were considered when making your care plan?

Yes  No

9. Did your social worker or IRO help you to take part in the review meeting? For example getting an interpreter if you needed one, giving you special support around your religious or disability needs, or taking extra care and time to explain about the review meeting because you are a young person.

Yes  No

10. If yes, what did you find particularly helpful?

- I felt my views were listened to
- 
- The chair took time to make sure I understood decisions
- 
- The chair explained the care plan
- 
- Other

11. What did you find particularly helpful about the review and making your care plan?

Tick all that apply.

- I had an interpreter to help me with my English
- 
- I had someone to speak for me (my social worker, my teacher, my youth worker)
- 
- It was easy to get to
- 
- Professionals made sure I understood what was being discussed
- 
- My religious needs were taken into consideration
- 
- My disability was taken into consideration
- 
- The right people were at the meeting who know me
- 
- I had help to be involved in making my care plan
- 
- Other, please say

12. What other support would you have liked to have?

## At the end of the meeting

13. When the review meeting was completed, did the social worker or the IRO explain what would happen next?

Yes  No

14. Would you like to say anything else about your experience of the looked after children review?

15. What is your overall view of the support you received at the meeting?



4 Excellent  2 Satisfactory

3 Good  1 Poor



Date of Looked After Children review meeting	
Name of Chair	
Name of social worker	

If you are responding to the questions on paper, please return this form in the envelope provided to: **Elzbieta Chandrasena, Senior Participation Development Officer**, Children's Safeguarding and Social Work, Crowndale Centre, 1st Floor, 218 Eversholt Street, London NW1 1BD.

**Thank you for taking time to give your feedback!**

# Equality monitoring form

The London Borough of Camden is committed to equality and diversity in providing services. In order to monitor and ensure effectiveness of this, we ask all service users to provide the following information.

**Your age**

5-9     10-15     16+

**Your Gender:**

Male     Female

**Disability:**

Under the terms of the Disability Discrimination Act 1995 'a person has a disability if he/she has a physical or mental impairment which has a substantial and long-term adverse effect on his/her ability to carry out normal day to day activities'. Individuals with the following conditions can now automatically be classified as having a disability: HIV, cancer, multiple sclerosis, severe disfigurements, certified blindness or partial sightedness.

**Do you consider yourself to have a disability as defined above?**

Yes     No

**What is your ethnic group?**

Our ethnic background describes how we think of ourselves. Ethnic background is not the same as nationality or country of birth. The groups listed below reflect the largest ethnic groups in Camden. You are asked to choose the ethnic group that is closest to how you see yourself and specify a more specific group if you wish.

**White:**

<input type="checkbox"/> Albanian (excluding Kosovan)	<input type="checkbox"/> Turkish or Turkish Cypriot
<input type="checkbox"/> Greek or Greek Cypriot	<input type="checkbox"/> White UK
<input type="checkbox"/> Gypsy/Roma	<input type="checkbox"/> White Irish
<input type="checkbox"/> Kosovan	<input type="checkbox"/> White (traveller of Irish heritage)
<input type="checkbox"/> Any other white background, please specify <input type="text"/>	

**Mixed:**

<input type="checkbox"/> White and African	<input type="checkbox"/> White and Asian
<input type="checkbox"/> White and Caribbean	
<input type="checkbox"/> Any other mixed background, please specify <input type="text"/>	

**Asian:**

<input type="checkbox"/> Bangladeshi	<input type="checkbox"/> Pakistani
<input type="checkbox"/> Indian	
<input type="checkbox"/> Any other Asian background, please specify <input type="text"/>	

**Black:**

<input type="checkbox"/> African Congolese	<input type="checkbox"/> African Eritrean
<input type="checkbox"/> African Ethiopian	<input type="checkbox"/> African Nigerian
<input type="checkbox"/> African Somalian	<input type="checkbox"/> Black Caribbean
<input type="checkbox"/> Any other Black background, please specify <input type="text"/>	

**Chinese or other ethnic group:**

<input type="checkbox"/> Chinese	
<input type="checkbox"/> Any other group, please specify <input type="text"/>	
<input type="checkbox"/> I would rather not say	